

1. appl. to Purchase Office  
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1878  
Harrison  
76  
Fill 360.  
Shelby Co. 1st class  
abt 596  
John F. Wamsdale  
— 1/3 Page —  
No 376

Correct on map of Harrison  
Dist. - Nov. 113 1/4  
& introd. ptd. (Cruzbauer)

Correct J. P. H. King  
original (Cruzbauer)

1054 vol 10  
Patented Dec 3/49  
Hotchkiss

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## APPLICATION TO PURCHASE EXCESS ACREAGE

(TITLED OR PATENTED SURVEYS)

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TO THE COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE, AUSTIN, TEXAS:

1. I hereby apply to purchase for cash the excess acreage within the following described survey, the area of which is believed to exceed the quantity called for in the field notes, under the provisions of Sec. 4 of House Bill No. 9, passed at the Regular Session of the Forty-sixth Legislature, and approved June 19, 1939.

2. The said tract of land is known as J. F. Ramsdale Survey Abstract 596  
Survey No. \_\_\_\_\_, Block No. \_\_\_\_\_, Certificate No. 376  
Tsp. No. \_\_\_\_\_, situated in Harrison County, Texas,  
about 12 miles SW from Marshall  
the county seat.

3. I am the owner of an interest in said survey, having acquired the same by (Indicate briefly the source of your title.)

Deeds and limitation

and I am therefore entitled to pay for such excess acreage as actually exists within such survey at such price as the School Land Board may fix.

4. I hereby request an appraisalment of said land as is fully described by corrected field notes of this survey which ~~accompany this application~~ ~~will be furnished at a later date~~ ~~will be furnished at a later date~~ will be furnished at a later date

Nathaniel James, Rt 2, Marshall, Texas, Applicant

W. T. Cock Applicant

Post Office Rt 2, Hallsville, Texas

Please address all communications about this matter to J. V. Fleming  
618 Bellman St., Stephenville, Texas  
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 8 day of January, 1952

Thelma Mosley  
Thelma Mosley Notary Public  
Harrison County, Texas

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Secretary of the School Land Board, do hereby certify that at a regular meeting of said board held in the General Land Office, Austin, Texas, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_, the price at which the excess acreage within the tract of land described in the above application No. \_\_\_\_\_, shall be sold, was fixed by the School Land Board at \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars per acre, all of which is shown in Vol. \_\_\_\_\_, page \_\_\_\_\_, of the Minutes of said Board.

Given under my hand this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_, at Austin, Texas.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary of the School Land Board.



Secretary of the School Land Board.

Austin, Texas.

Given under my hand this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ of the Minutes of said Board.

Land Board at \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars per acre, all of which is shown in Vol. \_\_\_\_\_ page \_\_\_\_\_ of land described in the above application No. \_\_\_\_\_ shall be sold, was fixed by the School day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 19\_\_\_\_ the price at which the excess acreage within the tract

certify that at a regular meeting of said board held in the General Land Office, Austin, Texas, on the \_\_\_\_\_ Secretary of the School Land Board, do hereby

Marathon County, Texas  
Theima Moxley Notary Public  
J. L. Moxley

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Placed address all communications about this matter to J. A. Fleming  
Post Office Box S, Hallsville, Texas

Nathaniel James, H. S. Marshall, Texas Applicant  
be furnished at a later date

4. I hereby request an abridgement of said land as is fully described by corrected field notes of this survey which means that the survey will be furnished at a later date  
and I am therefore entitled to pay for such excess acreage as actually exists within such survey at such price as the School Land Board may fix.

(1)

# GENERAL LAND OFFICE

Austin, Texas

No. 6878

Application to Purchase  
Excess Acreage

(Titled or Patented Surveys)

of

W. L. Cook  
Hallsville, Texas

Survey  
County, Texas

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 1952  
Commissioner.

Approved \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
Rejected \_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner.

5. The said tract of land is known as \_\_\_\_\_ J. F. Randle Survey Abstract 500

and approved June 10, 1933.

the provisions of Sec. 4 of House Bill No. 9, passed at the Regular Session of the Forty-sixth Legislature  
size of which is believed to exceed the quantity called for in the field notes under  
I. I hereby apply to purchase for cash the excess acreage within the following described survey, the

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE, AUSTIN, TEXAS:

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No 376

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that *John H. Ramsdale* has appeared before the Board of Land Commissioners for the County of Nacogdoches, and proved accord-

ing to law that he arrived in this Republic  
previous to the 1st March Eighteen hundred & thirty six.  
and that he is a single man and entitled to one third of a  
league — of land, upon the condition of paying at the rate of seven  
dollars — for each labor of Irrigable land Five dollars —  
for each labor of temporal or arable land and two dollars & forty cents  
for each labor of pasture land which may be contained in the survey secured to him  
by this certificate.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS THIS

1st

DAY OF

March

1838.

ATTEST.

*J. H. Mun* CLERK

*W. H. Starr* PRESIDENT.

*Wm Hart* { Ass'  
*Adolphus Stern* { COMR'S.



File 360<sup>2</sup>

Spelly, W. C. 1/2

Headright Certificate

John F. Ramsdale

1/3 Survey

ATTENT.

CLERK UNDER THE N. W. ACT

CLERK

BY

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1833

{Copy  
(Ver)

John F. Ramsdale

THIS TO CERTIFY, that the County of Nassau, Georgia, and proved record.

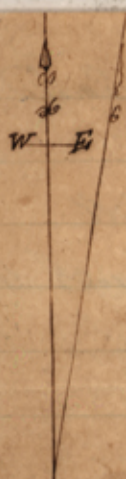
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has appeared before

of and upon the condition of paying at the rate of  
and entitled to

this Republic





Scale of 1000 varas to the inch

March 13<sup>th</sup> 1839

Survey for John H Ramsdale of 8  $\frac{1}{2}$  Sabas of land situated on the North <sup>bank</sup> side of the Sabine river at the <sup>crossing of the</sup> ~~Tramont~~ <sup>Rammels</sup> trace ~~beginning~~.  
It being the quantity of land to which he is Entitled by virtue of a Certificate No 376 issued by the Board of Land Commissioners for the County of Acadoches Commencing at ~~S E corner of a survey marked S, R a stake on the N~~ bank of the Sabine from which a Spanish oak bears S  $30^{\circ}$  E

7  $\frac{1}{2}$  varas and oak bears S  $60^{\circ}$  W 7  $\frac{1}{2}$  varas both marked S, R, R

N  $32^{\circ}$  W 100 Thence S  $30^{\circ}$  W with the N bank of the river at 900 varas the tramont trace 1<sup>st</sup> station

N  $77^{\circ}$  W 815 Thence S  $77^{\circ}$  W with the river at 815 varas a great gum 30 inches in diameter from which a red oak bears S  $77^{\circ}$  E 24  $\frac{1}{2}$  varas and oak bears S  $30^{\circ}$  W 25 varas both marked S, R, R

N  $37^{\circ}$  E 60.19 Thence S  $37^{\circ}$  E at 2250 varas a branch 2 varas wide runs S at 6019 varas a stake from which a black oak bears S  $25^{\circ}$  E 5  $\frac{1}{10}$  varas a black oak bears S  $77^{\circ}$  E 8  $\frac{1}{10}$  varas both marked S, R, R

S  $53^{\circ}$  E 114.44 Thence S  $53^{\circ}$  E at 11444 varas a stake from which a hickory bears S  $54^{\circ}$  E 26 varas a pine bears S  $77^{\circ}$  E 6  $\frac{1}{10}$  varas both marked S, R, R  
Thence S  $47^{\circ}$  W at 1974 varas intersected the S. W corner of a survey marked S, R a stake from which a hickory bears S  $44^{\circ}$  E 5  $\frac{1}{10}$  varas a post oak bears S  $60^{\circ}$  W 6  $\frac{1}{10}$  varas both marked S, R, R  
at 4210 varas a branch 2 varas wide runs S at 4930 varas the tramont trace at 5689 varas the beginning corner



I David Hill solemnly declare under oath at  
 my office that the foregoing survey was made since the  
 first day of February last  
 Shelbyville March 13<sup>th</sup> 1838  
 David Hill  
 Deputy surveyor  
 S C

James F. Ramsdell  
 Sheriff  
 84 sections of land  
 Filed for Examination 10 Oct. 1838  
 Notify the John Hammond  
 the within list. Note and plat  
 and find when correct and approved  
 according to law  
 J. F. Ramsdell  
 Sheriff 1838

Rich. Hooper Esq. Secy.  
 for Shelby County.

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Are \$33 40 in the promissory notes  
 of the late Republic, for first  
 dues on the within paid note

John J. Ramsdell  
 Secy. of the  
 Shelby County

Recorded 128.196

File 340 3

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11 Sections Township 36 S. R. 30  
 Section 36 S. R. 30  
 James act Hickory June 80 well water  
 David Hill  
 Deputy surveyor & Co  
 James, J. J. Ramsdell  
 Secy. of the  
 Shelby County



The State of New York  
County of Warren, ss. I, the undersigned  
Notary Public for the State of New York  
do hereby certify and attest that the  
above named County of Warren have this day  
presented to me a petition and application  
James J. Taylor my attorney in fact for  
me and in my name as owner of  
John J. Hamilton of Warren County  
in the above named State to apportion  
to and demand and receive from  
the commissioners General of the Land  
Office of the State of New York a patent  
for the land described by virtue of the  
said certificate of said John  
Hamilton No. 376 for one third of  
a section of land located by the board  
of Land Commissioners of Macgillivray  
County and also by their present petition  
my said attorney to do and perform all  
things necessary to be done in any manner  
in the premises and the same shall be  
so legal and binding on me as the donee  
by me in my own proper name  
in testimony of which I have set my  
hand and seal my office in the  
County of Warren of the State of New York  
this 19th of Oct 1889 Wm. H. Hamilton (Notary)



The State of Texas This day came before  
of Harrison County & me J. W. Mann a notary  
Public William W. O. Wainfield & acknowledged he  
signed sealed & delivered the within instrument  
to James F. Taylor for the purposes therein contained  
as his voluntary act & deed & request he should be  
his agent & attorney in fact according to Law  
given under my hand & seal this the  
12 October 1849

J. W. Mann

W. O. Wainfield  
N. P.  
Private

File 310 4  
Shelby A.itchell  
W. W. O. Wainfield  
to J. F. Taylor  
J. F. Taylor

W. W. O. Wainfield  
J. F. Taylor  
J. F. Taylor



SECTION      BLOCK      CERTIFICATE      GRANTEE      COUNTY      FILE NO.

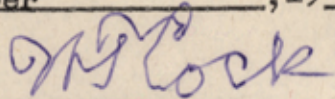
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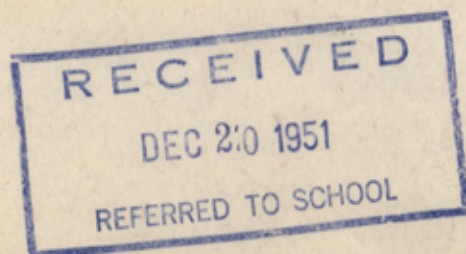
(This information should be forwarded with your application to purchase.)

1. Kind of soil and topography of surface and purpose for which it is adapted--agricultural or grazing.      Bottom land, tight black soil. Too wet to farm, good only for grazing.      Subject to over-flow.
2. Type and value of timber, if any.  
No timber
3. Assessed value. (If not rendered for taxation, give last assessed value of adjoining lands.)  
\$10.000
4. Surveyor's estimate of actual value without improvements, per acre.  
\$10.00
5. Claimant's estimate of actual value without improvements, per acre.  
\$10.00 No improvements, except some old fences
6. Distance and direction from nearest oil or gas field, naming the field.  
Woodlawn Field 17 miles--Carthage Field about 20 miles
7. Distance and direction from nearest oil or gas well producing or capable of producing oil or gas in commercial quantities.  
  
Same as answered under No. 6.
8. Distance and direction from nearest drilling oil well.  
  
2 miles
9. Distance and direction from nearest dry hole.      Murphey Well on the M. L. Matthews land N. E. 4 or 5 miles--Joe Bond Well at Darco 4 or 5 miles.
10. Is the land under oil and gas lease? If so, state amount of cash paid, rate of royalty, drilling obligation and to whom leased.  
Lease made to A. X. Skeeters 1/8 royalty and \$50.00 an acre out of 1/8 of the oil or gas from the W. T. Cock Well, James R. Davis Survey.  
(If there is oil or gas production on this tract, kindly give the following information.)      none
  - (a) Number of producing oil wells and depth from which they produce.
  - (b) Number of producing gas wells and depth from which they produce.
  - (c) Name of field in which the tract is located and how long producing.

I certify that the above information is true and correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

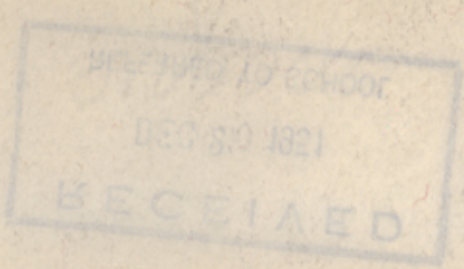
WITNESS my hand this 17 day of December, 19 51.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
W. T. Cock





100-360  
C. J. ...



M. J. COCK

*[Handwritten signature]*

WITNESSES my hand and seal this 15 day of December, 1921

to the best of my knowledge and belief  
I certify that the above information is true and correct according

- (a) Name of vessel in which the place is located and how long blo-
- (b) Number of bloodstock sea matts and gear from which they produce
- (c) Number of bloodstock off matts and gear from which they produce

(d) (If there is any of sea bloodstock on duty place, kindly state the  
No. of the off of sea from the M. J. COCK matt. James H. Davis, Surveyor.  
Please note to A. X. Skeeters 1/8 royalty and \$20.00 in case out of  
Butch's lease of royalty, splitting organization and so upon leased.  
It is the land under off and sea leased. It so, state amount of sea  
matts.

- 1. Distance and direction from nearest dry note. Matted matt on the  
5 matts
- 2. Distance and direction from nearest floating off matt.  
Same as numbered under No. 1.

- 3. Number of bloodstock off of sea in commercial quantities.
- 4. Distance and direction from nearest off of sea matt bloodstock on  
woodman block 13 matts--carriage block about 50 matts

- 5. Distance and direction from nearest off of sea matt, naming the  
\$10.00 no involvement, except some off fences
- 6. Statement, a estimate of actual value amount involvement, per acre.  
\$10.00

- 7. Statement, a estimate of actual value amount involvement, per acre.  
\$10.00
- 8. Value of adjoining lands.
- 9. Assessed value. (If not rendered for taxation, state last assessed  
no value)

- 10. Type and value of timber, if any.
- 11. Do not fail to state, good only for grazing, subject to over-lum.  
subjected--subjected or grazing. Bottom land, plant stock sold.

12. Kind of soil and character of surface and harbor for water to be  
used.

(This information should be furnished with each application to the  
and these notes, the following is required:  
In addition to the information furnished in application to the Bureau